ALSTON BIRD LLP

AUG 1 8 2004

@002

the

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 -EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1771

Attorney's Docket No. 31456/204621

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Confirmation No.: Monk et al.

Group No.:

7932 1771

In re: Appl. No.: Filed:

09/776,576 February 2, 2001

Examiner:

H. Vo

For:

POLYPROPYLENE CORE COMPOSITE STRUCTURAL MEMBER

August 18, 2004

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

	This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 1 months to respond to		
1.	This is a pention for a	II CARTITION OF HITT TO	
Office	Action dated April 23,	2004.	other than a small entity.
2.	Amplicantie	a small entity:	
	Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(8)(1)-(8)(3)).		
3.	Total Months	Fee For Other	Fee for
		Than Small Entity	Small Entity
-	Requested	\$110.00	\$55.00
	one month	\$420.00	\$210.00
Ц	two months	\$950.00	\$475,00
닏	three months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
	four months		\$1,005.00
	five months*	\$2,010.00	nones to an Official Action.
*Cann	not be used to exceed six-n	ionth statutory timus for resp	oonse to an Official Action.
	A aboot in the amount	ntof % is enclosed.	
図	Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee of \$110.00.		
X X	Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.		
الاست			

Respectfully submitted,

Timothy J. Balts Registration No. 51,429

Customer No. 00826 ALSTON & BIRD LLP Bank of America Plaza 101 South Tryon Street, Suite 4000 Charlotte, NC 28280-4000 Tel Charlotte Office (704) 444-1000 Fax Charlotte Office (704) 444-1111

CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile transmitted to the US Patent and Trademark Office at

Fax No. (703) 872-9306 on the date shown below.

PAGE 2/6 * RCVD AT 8/18/2004 1:44:17 PM [Eastern Daylight Time] * SVR:USPTO-EFXRF-1/0 * DNIS:8729306 * CSID:7043316090 * DURATION (mm-ss):02-28

188776576 σε εντικόσε κειρεργμό ορφορός τζοκού

લુકે હામ્પ્લસ્થા

110,00 00